## BEST AVAILABLE COPY

Patent 030727.0037.CIP1

JAN 2 8 2003 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Paul D. Van Poelje, et al.

Application No.: 09/900,364

Filed: July 5, 2001

O30727

O30727

Group Art Unit: 1623

Examiner: To be assigned

REC

Title: COMBINATION OF FBPASE
INHIBITORS AND ANTIDIABETIC
AGENTS USEFUL FOR THE
TREATMENT OF DIABETES

RECEIVED

JAN 3 0 2003

**JECH CENTER** 1600/2900

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is the following document:

- Associate Power of Attorney; and
- Return Postcard.

No fee is believed due with this submission, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee required or to credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-1273.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 1603

By:

Diana L. Bush, Ph.D. Reg. No. 51,109

## **BROBECK, PHLEGER & HARRISON LLP**

12390 El Camino Real

San Diego, CA 92130-2081

Telephone: (858) 720-2500 Facsimile: (858) 720-2555

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. §1.8a)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with anything referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents,

Washington, D.C. 20231.

Name of Person Mailing Paper

Signature of Person Mailing Paper

January 2003
Date of Deposit

## BEST AVAILADEL -

her associate attorney and agent, respectively, to transact all business in the

Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

BROBECK, PHLEGER & HARRISON LLP

Dated: Junuary 19 2

By:

Jessica R. Wolff

Reg. No. 37,261

BROBECK, PHLEGER & HARRISON LLP

12390 El Camino Real

San Diego, CA 92130-2081 Telephone: (858) 720-2500

Facsimile: (858) 720-2555